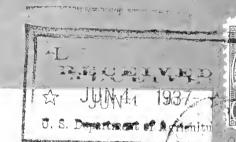
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1937 LIST OF ANNUALS, and PEREMNIALS

May I offer you my sincere appreciation for your patronage in the past year. As in previous years I am making this catalogue as interesting and alluring as possible, yet I am not trying to sell you things which you have no desire for at all. There are some new things however that I know you will want as several of them have been much talked about and much praised in the year. Where you see the word NEW you will find your specialties. Be sure to study the list carefully and then send in your order that you will not be dissapointed.

Both the Annual and Perennial plants are of excellent quality. The Annuals this year I know to be rugged and well grown. They now have an excellent green color which proves that they are in better condition than ever before.

The Perennials are also stocky and healthy and no matter how few or many you may buy, the same high grade quality goes with each and every plant.

If you have garden problems that you would like to discuss with me in any phase I will be most happy to talk it over with you. Perhaps I can suggest some worth while changes that would be beneficial to you. In other words I have a complete landscape service department that is available to you at any time.

This year I am happy to introduce to you "THE GARDENCRAFT SHOP" which will contain many things of interest to you. There will be potterya and glass, some of both imported. Then of course there will be tools and other garden accessories. I will also have cut flowers for many occasions, and if you want something very special I have many ideas. You will receive an Opening Announcement before the shop is open to the public. I think this will be a feature which will be most helpful and one that you will enjoy.

Drive in at the sign"Elizabeth Rodman, Landscape planning and Planting, Annual and Perennial Plants". Post Road U.S.Route#1 one mile North of Wickford, Rhode Island. Or phone Wickford 274-"

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Sweet Peas.

Because of the popularity of Sweet Peas last year, I am offering them again. The list of varieties this year are a better selection than last. The stems are longer, the colors are brighter and they will bloom longer. You will have more enjoyment because of these facts. Whether you purchased or not last year you will surely want some this year. The list follows;

Avalanche white

Matchless-deep cream

Hawlmark lavendar

Model-Thite

Here-cerise

Pinnacle-Rose Pink.

Fluffy ruffles-pink

Powerscourt-Lilac lavender

Royal purple-deep purple

Pinkie-light rose pink.

easily transplanted. Almost any good garden soil will do. It is wise however to make some preparation, for satisfactory results. Dig a trench two feet wide and twelve to eighteen inches deep. In replacing the soil, incorporate plenty of humus, especially well rotted manure and add a little lime. Mix as you refill the trench Pack soil down well to prevent and air pockets. When you set the plants be sure they are good and firm for the same reason. Be careful not to break the roots. Plant contents of each pot 12-15 " apart. Then be sure that they get plenty of water as that is very important. Spray with nicotine solution if aphids appear. Place a support before plants are set so they can start right in climbing. The plants will be ready the latter part of april or first of May. Remember the earlier the start, the better the plants grow and produce.

The plants are priced at 15¢ per pot. In doz lots (1.50

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ACERATUM- These plants are nice for borders and beds. The first two that	are
listed are best used in rock gardens or along borders. All these p	lants
bloom all summer and where you have them planted there will alway	s be
a very bright spot of color.	OZ.
A. Red riding hood. NEW. Rose pink with a deeper pink center.	
You will want to try phis one as it is very levely.	.40
A.Blue Cap. I have tried setteral kins of low blue aggratum and I	
have found that this variety is the best one. It is more bushy	a*
and the color does not fade. It can be used for cutting and	
innumerable other places	.40
A. Tall Blue. This is especially nice for cutting. In the perennial	
porder it is agrand thing to use to cover here spaces where	
builds have once been the glory of the garden. It has a clear blue	9
illower. Sullier bloomer. 2 ft.	.40
ALYSSUM-Carpet of Snow. Pue white with large heads of flowers. Nice for	
the rock garden or border. Summer. 6 inches. Cutting	.35
A.Lilac Queen. The same type as the preceding one. The color is a	
light lavender but if used with the white variety, it is very	
effective. These two varieties are nice used in old fashioned	
bouquets.	.35
ARCTOTIS GRANDIS- A plant coming from South Africa. It has all the delicat	ie .
colorings of its native habitat. The flowers are silvery white	
with the under petals a clear blue. Nice for cutting. Borders 2 ft.	.40
ASIERS - IMIS year I have Asters that are rot-resistent These are the	
pest to plant as they are free from the fungus that causes root	
routiney make petter pinnts and the flowers are better chance	
A. Edriy Phiox Fink. Light rose Sink. Cutting Redding or horders 2 et	
A farma Plant Summer and Last well into the fall.	.40
Another tall sort that is used for cutting	
and borders. Clear blue flowers. Long stems. 18 inches.	.40
A.Royal White. The best of the white asters. Cutting. Good stems. 18"	.40
A.Aurora Golden Sheaf. NEW.Cushioned center type. The center petals	
are quilled as well as the outer petals. Light yellow, something new	•
in aster colors. Excellent cutting qualities. 18" Display.	.40
A.Southcote Beauty.Dark Elue.Cutting.A lovely single aster. 2 ft.	.40
A.Giant White Ray.IMPOFTED NEW. Large flowers with long petals	
radiating from the center. It has a soft appearance. 2 ft. cutting.	.40
A. Pompon. Make nice low groups for bright spots of color. Best plante	d
with 5 or 6 in group. Separate colors. Cutting. Borders. 8-10 in.	
Colors; Rose. Light Blue. Crimson-white center	.35
BRACHYCOME- Swan River Daisy. It makes you feel lazy to look at it. It is	
a very graceful plant and the flowers are light and airy.6-8" Nice	
for miniature bouquets. Delightful used in your flower garden.	.35
CACALIA COCCINEA* Tassle flower. Also known as the Fairy paint brush. It	
blooms all summer and the colors, though mixed are exquisite.18" Nic	е
for cutting. The flowers resemble minute tassles.	.40
CALENDULAS.Scotch Marigold-These are always nice as they are easy to	
grow, easy to arrange, and always make a bright spot of color.	
C. Gold. Long stemmed. Summer 2 ft. A deep yellow. Cutting. Summer.	.40
C.Supreme.Light orange flowers with a brown center.2 ft.Cutting	.40
CARNATION Enfant de Nice. You must try some of these. Nixed colors. Nice	
for cutting and simply grand for the garden. 18"	.40
CENTAUREA CYANUS Bachelor's Button. These are all double this year. They	
are nice for cutting. Also nice for in the border. Summer. 2 ft.	
-	.40
C.Carmine. A good dark red. Very pleasing in any combination.	.40
C.White.A good clear white for your arrangements.	.40
C.Combination of the above with still other lovely shades. Mixed	.35

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CHRYSANTHENUM-These have the same type flowers as our hardt"muns" but	
they are not as large. Splendid for cutting. Bloom all summer. 18-24" C. Segetum Eldorado. Bright lellow with a brown disc.	10
C.Segetum Gloria Alba. White with a pale wellow disc.	.40 .40
C.Burridgeanum. White with scarlet zone.	.40
CLARKIA ELEGANS These are double flowers of striking beauty. The flowers	• 10
are large and when cut they are lovely. They grow to 18"	
C.Brilliant.Bright deep rose.18" cutting and borders	.40
C.La France.Light salmon pink.18" Cutting and borders	.40
C.Mixture. Contains colors of rose, white, pink and orange. Good colors.	.40
COBEA SCANDENS- A grand annual vine that grows rapidly and makes a good	
screen over a garden trellis or other garden feature. The flowers are large and the colors are pure. I have them on white and purple. In pots.	75 -1-
COSMOSThese are nice flowers to have in any garden. They are graceful and	.15 en
arrange well. The keeping qualities are excellent. Summer. 2 ft.	•
C. Early express. This blooms all summer. cutting. Pink and White.	.40
C.Sensation. Pink and White. Blooms later than the preceding. NEW. 2 ft.	.40
CYNOGLOSSUM AMABILEChinese forget-me not. A heavenly blue flower,	
growing to 2 ft. Nice for cutting.Lasts well.Borders and bedding.	.40
DAHLIA Coltness hybrids. I have these in separate colors this year.	
They attain a height of of 2 ft. Splendid for cutting and bedding.	
Scarlet Gem. White. Yellow In pots	.60
D.Unwin's Dwarf Mixed. These are much the same type. The colors are	- 60
just as good and there may be different ones.2 ft.semi double. In pot	S.60
DIDISCUS COERULEUSBlue lace flower. The name applies to it perfectly. It really is lacey looking. The flower is in a head. Cutting and	
borders.2 ft. A lovely powder blue. Nice for arrangements.	•40
DIMORPHOTHECA AURANTIACA African daisy . A charming annual coming from the	
Veldt. The flowers are perfectly shaped. 8-10". Bright orange.	.40
D. Auran. Hybrids. The same type as above but in levely pastel shades	
of a pinky yellow and white.	.40
EUTOCA VISCIDA NEW. Very profuse blooming of bright blue flowers. Nice	
for cutting. 1 ft. This comes all the way from England.	.45
GODETIA Charming double blue flowers in exquisite colors. Used for	
display and cutting. It has nice long stems. Arrangements very graceful.	
G.Sybil Sherwood. Bright salmon pink edged white. 2 ft. double.	.40 .40
G. Dutchess of Albany. A very pure satiny white. Double. C. Wild Rose. NEW. Dwarf single. Mediumd deep pink.	.40
HELICHRYSUM Strawflower. Double and single heads of flowers resembling	•40
straw when touched, hence the name. Mixed colors. 2 ft. Useful dried.	.40
IPOMEAMorning Glory. (With much glory attached to it) It really is lovely	•
Large bright blue flowers, shaded with white, beautiful contrast.	
A rapid climber making a quick cover.very graceful.Potted.Each	.15
LARKSPUR I have an improved strain this year that I am sure you will like	ce.
You will have more to cut as the plants are base branching. The colors	
are bright and the plants are husky. 2 ft. Cutting, Borders. Summer.	40
White King, Pure white. Blue Bell, deep blue. Gloria rose pink.	.40
LOBELIA.—The following come very true to their habit, compact or pendulous habit. They make excellent border edging or rock garden subjects, not	
to mention their use in window boxes.	
L. Blue Gown. 6 in. Cleard dark blue.Dark foliage.	.40
L. Cambridge blue. 4 in. A lovely light blue, white eye.	.40
L. Pendula Hamburgia. Trailing. Deep blue with a white eye.	.40
Lupine The annual lupins are very fine to grow. They have a long season	

of bloom, and make fine arrangements. Summer 18 in. to 2 ft. If you have never had them, wont you try some this year?

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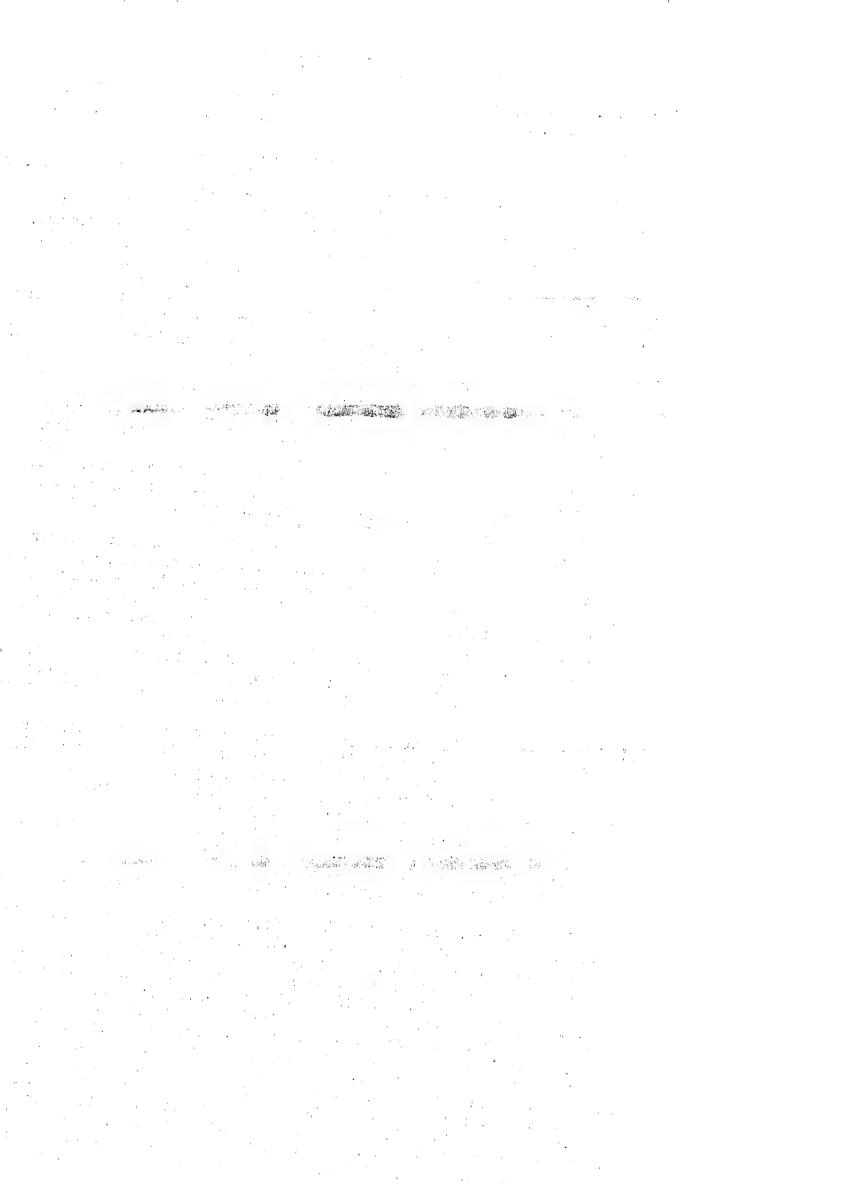
In pots

L.Sulphurus.Rich golden yellow. 28 in.

L. Hartweggii mixed. Nice blues, pink and whites.



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MARIGOLD The popularity of marigolds is increasing and why shouldn't it as there are new kloas every year, and we have to keep on the	
mark not to miss the good ones.	
M. Golden eagle. NEW. 2 ft. cutting, borders. Rich golden yellow	. 40
M. Guinea Cold. Bright orange. 2 ft. Semmer. Cutting Cutstanding color.	.40
	40
	.40
WIGNOTETTE A Lovely super scented annual which I have found transplants	• 10
well if it is headed when reved to its new location. Both kinds listed	
work well in old fashioned bouquets. Whed a great deal in other	
arrangements as well. Mignonette is used as a border plant. 6-8 "	
	40
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	.40
MASTURITUM HYARIDS What ar array of colors you wan have with with this	mix
-ture in window boxes. They are a bright border subject. The stems are	50
	. 50
NEMECIA A charming plant with continuous bloom all summer. Makes an	
extremely bright spot of color in your garden. Nice used for cutting	
and the baseing qualities are excellent. 6-8 " Separate colors.	
	.40
NICOTIANA How lovely it is to go into the garden at dusk and smell	
the sweet fragrance coming from the nicotiona. Good for cutting and	
planted in clumps in the border. 2 ft. Creamy white flowers.	
	•40
N. Guaveolens. WHW. A dwarf form of the Affinis.Miniature flowers. 15"	• 40
PANSI The colors of pansies are always so bright and cheerful. If the	
blooms are picked off they will bloom all summer. I have plants started	
from seed in January and you will have a longer season of bloom with	
these than with fall sown plants. They are in separate colors, also mix	ture.
P. Alpinglow. A rich garnet red. 6 in. Cutting. Display. Long stems.	•40
	.40
P. Steele's Jumbo. A mixture of large flowering plants. Mixed colors .	
P. Ball's mixed. Long stems. Gimply swell colors. One of the finest strain	ns40
PETUNIA Giant Ruffled mixed. Large flowers with edges ruffled. Very	
striking. Many colors, with different veinings. 8-10 " Summer till fall	40
P. Snowball. The best clear white fringed. Large flowers. 8-10 "	.40
P. Celestial Rose. Clear rose pink, better than rosy morn.	.40
P. Rosy Morn. The standby clear pink. Cutting and borders.	.40
P. All Double Victorious. Finely fringed. An unexcelled strain. Large.	.40
P. Heavenly Blue. Medium to light blue. Good color. Cutting.	.40
P. Furple Prince. Ruffled. Larger than the plain variety. Cutting.	.40
P. California Giant Rheingold. Large white with a lovely yellow throat.	.40
PHLOX DRUMMONDILovely annuals for beds, borders and cutting. Nice long	
stems.8-12" Summer.Separate colors.Lovely in arrangements.	
Pink buauty, (deep), Scarlet Beauty. Violet beauty. Salmon beauty.	.40
The above have quite large flowers. I also have phlordrummondi	
in colors of White, Yellow and Violet. All very good.	.40
PORTULACA A low growing annual that thrives wherever you choose to plan	
it. Sun of shade, dry or damp, it is all the same to this sturdy plant.	
The flowers close at night, but its opening with the sunshine makes	
it all the more charming. A mixture of beautiful colorings.	.40
SALPIGLOSSIS One of the most graceful annuals either in the garden ,or	- 10
when cut and arranged in the home. Stems are long. 2 ft. Separate color	5.
Scarlet and Gold. Violetband Gold. White and Gold. Blokms till from	
SCARTOSA - Pingushian Flagger / fine plant producing an abundance of	040
SCABIOSA Pincushion Flower. A fine plant producing an abundance of bloom all summer. 2 ft.Cutting.Borders.Arrangements.Powder blue.	.40



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SNAPDRAGON. - I have four rust resistant sorts in separate colors.

They are nice for cutting, have long stems and keep well. 2 ft.	02.
Silver Pink. Daffodil, NEW. yellow. Alaska, white. Indian Girl, brze.	.40
STATECL We all like the sea lavender that grows by the water. So we can	•40
have it in our gardens. It is quite not like the wild but it is just	
as lovely. 2 ft. Gutting. Grand for winter bouquets.	
	.40
S.Bondelli. A chear yellow. 2 ft. Sumer	
S. Signata atrococrulea. A clear delphinium blue.	.40
STOCK This year I have a better strain of stock called perpetual	
branching. It blooms all symmer and is grand for cutting. 2 ft.	
The colors are good and they are separate. All stocks are potted.	_
S.Snowdrift. A fine clear white. In pots	.50
S. Heatham beauty. A lovely shade of terra-cotta rose. " "	.50
S. Empress Augusta Victoria. Nice silvery lilac. " "	.50
URSINIA ANETHOIDES Another flower that comes to us from the Veldt.	
The daisy shaped and small. Foliage is feathery and light green	
in color. Flowers are a bright orange. Cutting 8 in. Summer	.40
VERBENA One of the best annuals for borders. Has excellent cutting	
qualities. Makes a grand showing. Summer 3-12 in. Special stock of	
V.Lavender Glory. Light to dark purple.	.40
V. Crimson Glow. A bright red. (not megenta) NEW.	.40
V. Pure White. A good clear white. Free blooming.	.40
	.40
V. Mixed. Some of all the colors with many pleasing combinations.	• 40
NOTIVIAS We all know the Zinia so it needs no introduction as a plant	
but there have come to our attention the lilliput class. These are	
lower growing and the flowers smaller. They are lovely. I have them	
in separate colors. 18 in. Summer. Cutting.	
3. Tilliput. Canary Gem. Crima on Gem. Purple Gem. Golden Gem. Salmon	
Gum. Scarlet Gem. White Gem. Rosebud and Vallancia, an orange.	
A. Pantasy. Star Bust. A deep golden yellow quilled petals.	
2.Delight type. Gurled or ruffled petals. Fine for arrangements.	
Two colors. Golden ray. Salmen.	
Z.Large flowering. In this class I have two splendid colors, These	
grow larger and stems a little longer. 2 ft. Borders.	
Crimson Monarch. Old Gold.	
All the above Zinnias are in pots for your convenience	.50
ALL the above Elimins are in poor for your convenience	•••
LIST OF PERENNIALS.	
	CH.
ACHILLEA ptarmicaYarrow. 2 ft. White clusters of flowers. Blooms from	1011.
•	.30
June until frost. Cutting.Dark green foliage.	• 50
AJUGA reptans 2-3 in. Dark foliage. Purple flowers. Fine for rock	
gardens and it spreads. When it is through blooming the foliage	~ c
stays the same with a tint of purple in it.	.25
ALYSSUM compactum 1 fine subject for a rock garden or rock wall. Can	
also be used along borders. Spring. Grey foliage 6-8 in.	.30
ANCHUSA Blue Bird A glorious perennial forget-me-not. Perfect for cutting	
2-3 ft. Summer. Large hairy foliage of interest. Forders.	.30
ANTENNARIA dioca Greyish white heads of flowers. Excellent for planting	
in between stenes in path, in a wall or rock garden. RARE.	
Chose growing and neat. Greyish green foliage.	.30
AQUILEGIA There are many types and colors here at the nursery I have	
strong field grown plants that will bloom this year. The colors ran	ige
in white, blue, yellow, pink and white, red and many other combination	
Then there is the Rocky Mt. variety that has deep blue flowers.	.25
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I have the following colors. Apricot shades, rose, blue, chocolate.

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LYCHNIS Coronaria Ragged robin. Very fine foliage, 8 in. Pinky white	
flowers that bloom from June to August. Borders, cutting.	.30
MYOSOTIS Palustris A fine true forget-me-not for the border Light blue	
flowers in abundance. Cutting. Summer. 18 in.	.30
NEPETA Mussina A rock plant of merit. Grey green leaves with a soft	
appearance. Blue flowers. Long stems making it an ideal border plan	
Blooms in June. 6 in. Pretty foliage.	.30
PHLOX Divaricata An exceptional phlox, blooming almost all summer. Blue	
flowers of intense light color. Bright green foliage. i ft. Fine for cutting and for use in beds or borders.	rz (*
PLATYCODON Grandiflora. Elue or white spikes of bell shaped flowers.	.35
2-3 ft. Late June-July. For cutting and specimen plants for show.	.35
POTENTILLA Cinquefoil An add plant having strawberry shaped leaves,	• 55
but somewhat larger. Flowers resemble a single rose when in bud.	
They are red and the size of half dollar when fully opened .RARE	
2-3 ft. June to August. Bold masses. 2 ft.diam.	.35
RUDBECKIA Purpurea Come flower. The flowers are are like a huge daisy h	out m
much more attractive. The center is raised like a dome and the petals	3
spread out about ig in. Overall the flower measures 3-4 in. It is a	
lovely shade of pinky lavender. 2-3 ft.Cutting.Borders.	.35
SALVIA Azurea An excellent plant for the blue garden. Has long season of	
and the flowers are a heavenly blue . They are arranged on long stems	
or racemes. 2-3 ft. Good border plant.	.30
SAPONARIA OcymoidesBouncing Bet.Bright pink flowers in profusion. Hlooms off and on all summer.Grand for rock wallas as it spreads	
over the stones well. 6-8 in. A glorious little plant.	.30
SEDUM Rupestris Monkey tail sedum. Green and red leaves that grow close	•00
to the stem. They resemble some what some forms of succulent plants	S.
Before they bloom their yellow blossom, the stems is crooked over	
appear like a monkeys tail. 6 in. June. Interesting.	.30
SEDUM Stoloniferum Close growing sedum commonly called stone crop.	
Small round spikes of green bearing in June tiny yellow flowers.	
For planting around stones in path as they are very tough. They	
do not grow much taller than one inch but cover well	.25
THALIGTRUM Aquilegiafolium Meadow Rue. 3 ft. Showy white flowers.	
Excellent for borders in the early season. Cutting. June	.30
VERBASCUM Pheonicum One of the best for the perennial border.	40
Shades of pink, white and blue. 2 ft. Lovely for cutting. VALERIAN Garden Heliotrope. A very sweet scented plant for the border.	.40
Meads of white flowers, Foliage a good green. July. 3-4 ft.	.30
VERONICA Maritma Spiked speedwell. 2-3 ft. Blue spikes of flowers.	• • • •
Will bloom twice if first spikes are cut off. June-Aug. Borders.	.30
V.Repens A small cousin that grows close to the ground. Blue	
flowers about 6-8 in. Used in the rockery. June-July.	.30
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VEGETABLE PLANTS.

I have a fine assortment of vegetable plants for your home garden. They are all excellent varieties. Tomatoes are firm flest and nice for canning or slicing. Cabbages, Green and Red with firm heads and if you buy my varieties you will certainly get your moneys worth. Peppers, just the right size for home use, including the small hot conical and Celestrial vari colored. If you kike egg plants I have them too. Parsley, a few plants will supply your garnish needs. Will also have the small decorative and salad tomatoes.

GARDEN HERBS.

A selected list of GARDEN HERBS such as Chervil, Fennel, Peppermint, Spearmint, Sweet Marjoram, Summer Savory, Sage, Thyme Ect.

Vegetable and herb plants priced reasonably.

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